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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed November 23, 2005.

In view of the following amendments and remarks, reconsideration and favorable action on the claims is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the claims are on pages 2 to 62.

Amendments to the Specification are on pages 63 and 64.

Applicants' Remarks begin on pages 65 to 69 below.

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